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The Editor and half the mechanical force of The Champion have been off all week taking in the Okechobee trip tendered by the Ft. Myers Board of Trade to the Florida Editors and Lawmakers. On their heads be an shortcomings in this issue.

The Job Department of our office is certainly doing lots of business now-a-days. The people have found out that we have the best and most modernly equipped printery in this part of the State. Almost every mail contains orders for "Artistically Neat Printing" and we are keeping the Southern Express Company busy delivering these orders for us.

Orphanage Day.

Every growing organization, enterprise or private home has demands from time to time for an outlay of money extra of the current expenses required to run it. This is the natural consequence of orphanage work. The history of older orphanages than ours is one building, two buildings and on to thirteen, fourteen and to greater numbers as the work grew. To help to meet such expenses, all older orphanages have instituted and united on one day in the year known as Orphanage Day, asking the friends of the homeless and helpless to give the earnings of that day for the use of the Homes. We have selected the first Saturday in October for our Home.

We were very much gratified at the hearty responses to our appeal last year. In other states where this day has been observed for years, it is among the happiest days of the year. Sunday Schools and churches talk it and work it. Many Schools in the country send in twenty-five and thirty dollars. The children plan for a day's work to earn something, from picking cotton, selling fruit, milk, blacking shoes, fishing and various other things, for which they have planned and prayed that it may be the biggest earnings of the year. Professional men before-hand consecrate that day's earnings to the Lord for this object and trust Him as they give big sums. Fathers and mothers, with each member of your family, pause for a moment to look around you at the comforts of your home, the happiness of the sweetest earthly ties and source of the most sacred joys given us by God, that of loved ones and home, then think of the broken ties that often were as sweet and dear as yours, though may be causing children to be fatherless, motherless and homeless in poverty, then from a sense of gratitude get your consent to give this day's earnings, or a part of it, as you see fit, to this great work. God will enlarge your heart and soul that you may enjoy the more the blessings of your children and home. Your children will be sweeter and better from having earned something from the labor of their own hands, to give necessities and comforts to the dear little boys and girls here in our home, totally dependent on the love and mercy of the good people of our country. One of the great blessing of the Orphanage is, it develops that beautiful spirit of unselfishness in

every child who is taught to help in the support of the work.

Yours for the children,
MOTHER BEAN.

At Joshua Creek.

Rev. W. M. Wambolt has been secured to hold a series of meetings at Joshua Creek. The meeting begins Friday night 29th, and runs on through the Fourth Sunday to the fifth Sunday. Bro. Wambolt is one of the finest pulpit orators in the South, and all will be delighted to hear him.

The public generally from the adjoining towns and communities are cordially invited.

S. L. LOUDERMILK,
Pastor.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Fort Green Notes.

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ment of Mr. Hendry and Miss Ellis is progressing nicely. Attendance good and work first class.

The young people of our community are looking up a little. They have ordered a nice organ for the singing class. A few of the young people met at the house of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gill Sunday and spent the afternoon singing. All report a nice time.

Wanted: A teacher for the Bible class or the Ft. Green Sunday School, as our teacher has married a wife, the assistant hunting one, and so they do not attend S. S. Are they excusable.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Alderman, of Ft. Green are taking a visit up to Tampa and St. Petersburg to see relatives.

News of Zolfo.

Hot weather and checker players are two things that you can always find on the streets of Zolfo. Ask one of our business men what he is doing these days and he will always say, "I am trying to catch up with my checker playing."

Miss Ethel Hart, of Brandentown is spending this week with Miss Allie Booth.

Prof. H. G. Murphy, of the Popash Institute, makes Zolfo his headquarters every Saturday and Sunday. Do not quit us H. G., as we are always glad to have you with us.

J. I. Roberts, senior member of the firm of Roberts Brothers returned home Thursday from an extended trip out West. While gone he visited most of the principal cities, including St. Louis, Kansas City and Old Mexico. He reports nice trips, and from the way he talks he may return again.

Mrs. J. I. Roberts returned home from Ft. Meade, where she has been visiting her people while her husband was out west.

Last Friday night Mr. and Mrs. John Carlton gave a social at their home three miles from town which was attended by most of the young people from here. Those present were: Misses Elise Mahn Ollie Booth, Ola Gardner, Bessie Gill, Ruby Hough, Clara Satis, Maude Carlton, Ethel Hart, Messrs Pasco Bryant, Leslie Skipper, Morris Durrance, Manuel Whidden, James McDuffy, Acilla Allen and Harry Booth.

A Lesson in Health

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. Sold by Ed Greene.

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Notice

Of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that W. R. Cain, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 166, dated the 5th day of July, A. D. 1897, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in DeSoto county, Florida, to-wit: 25 1/2 of SW 1/4 of section 12, T. 40, S. R. 23 east. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1906.

Witness my official signature and seal, this the 19th day of September, A. D. 1906.
[SEAL] H. E. CARLTON,
Clerk Circuit Court DeSoto County, Florida.
By CLAUDE L. CARLTON, D. C.

Inside Information!

New York dressers are making a stampede for Blacks and Blues. This is the Blue Serge season July and August will be the great months for these two solids, the Blues and Blacks. We have the goods and they are the properest ever
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